

DEATH LISTS GROW AS NEW REPORTS COME IN

Deaths May Now Total Over A Hundred Thousand, And Growing Very Rapidly Every Hour.

WHOLE PROVINCES ARE WIPED OUT

Greatest Apprehension Felt For Many Communities Not Heard From Definitely As Yet By The Authorities At Rome—Troops Rushed To Scene Of Disaster.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

Rome, Dec. 29.—Reports received from the scene of yesterday's earthquake and tidal disaster now place the dead at over a hundred thousand as a conservative estimate. This morning's official statements make the death list appalling and growing rapidly.

Town of Reggio Not Heard From
Thus far the city of Reggio has not been heard from and it is reported from different sources that out of the total number of inhabitants, some fifty-five thousand, but a few thousand escaped the quake, fire and flood which followed each other in rapid succession.

In Calabria Province
The disaster in the province of Calabria on the island of Sicily has today assumed staggering proportions and each successive report received from the stricken region makes it apparent that the first stories of widespread destruction were little, if any, exaggerated.

In Messina Alone
In the city of Messina alone it is now stated that twelve thousand lost their lives and it is feared that this is only a partial list of the victims of the quake. Adjacent villages report losses of from five hundred up to several thousand each.

Completely Destroyed By Fire
Premier Giolitti has this morning received a telegram from Deputy Folletti at Messina confirming the previous reports that the destruction of Messina by flames followed the earthquake and the deputy states the dead will be counted by the tens of thousands.

Whole Countries
The Pope has received official word from Messina and Reggio that the entire religious communities, including bishops, priests, monks, nuns and convents have been wiped out by the fire and earthquake. The silence from Reggio gives rise to the most fearful apprehension on every hand.

Two Towns Gone
Monte Leone, Calabria, Dec. 29.—The towns of Palmi and Bagnara are entirely swept out of existence and in Palmi ten thousand have died and at Bagnara it is estimated half as many are dead and many more wounded and unable to aid themselves or be rescued.

Rush Aid to Cities
The King has sent regiments of soldiers to the stricken territory with every equipment for aiding the wounded and feeding the survivors and preserving order, and will himself personally superintend the work of aiding the communities that have suffered.

The Pope Not Able to Go
The Pope while very anxious to start at once for the districts will not be able to leave the Vatican. The majority of the cities affected are among the most loyal of the papal provinces of Italy.

Started for the South
The King and Queen left Rome this afternoon for the south. The Tribuna estimates the casualties in Calabria and Sicily alone as between sixty and seventy thousand persons and lists not complete as yet.

Starts Subscription List
The Pope heads the subscription for the sufferers with two hundred thousand dollars and it is understood the King will give four hundred thousand dollars more. It is reported a hundred foreigners lost their lives at the Hotel Trinacria in Messina.

Later Reports Received
Reports just received from two other towns in Calabria say that at Cassano there are a thousand dead, while the wounded number 500. At Cosenza 500 dead have been taken from the ruins already.

Cables His Sympathy
Washington, D. C., Dec. 29.—President Roosevelt, through the state department today sent to King Victor Emmanuel a dispatch expressing his sorrow and that of the American people over the disaster which has befallen southern Italy and Sicily by the earthquake, and tendered his sincere sympathy.

Names Fifty Thousand
Rome, Dec. 29.—The minister of the marine at five o'clock this afternoon received a wireless dispatch estimating the number of dead at Messina at fifty thousand.

WILL SELECT THE DISTRICT ATTORNEY

La Follette Leaders Will Meet With Their Chief to Select U. S. District Attorney For Eastern District.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]

Milwaukee, Wis., Dec. 29.—A delegation of ultra La Follette leaders in this city will visit Madison early New Year's day or Saturday to confer with Senator La Follette with reference to an appointment of the United States district attorney for the Eastern district of Wisconsin. These men it is understood strongly support the claim of Wm. J. McClary for the place and pressure is to be brought upon the Senators to appoint Mr. McClary.

HOOPER ANNOUNCES HE IS A CANDIDATE

Superintendent of Schools at Ashland Issues Office of State Superintendent of Public Instruction.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]

Ashland, Wis., Dec. 29.—Formal announcement is made of the candidacy of J. T. Hooper for the office of state superintendent of public instruction. Mr. Hooper has a fine record, being superintendent of schools at Ashland. Before announcing himself as a candidate he thoroughly investigated the situation and was assured of the general support throughout the state. It is expected that a vigorous campaign will be carried on in his behalf.

Mr. Hooper was appointed special lecturer in the department of education at the state university a year ago, and is a keen business man.

THINK MISSING GIRL HAS BEEN KIDNAPED

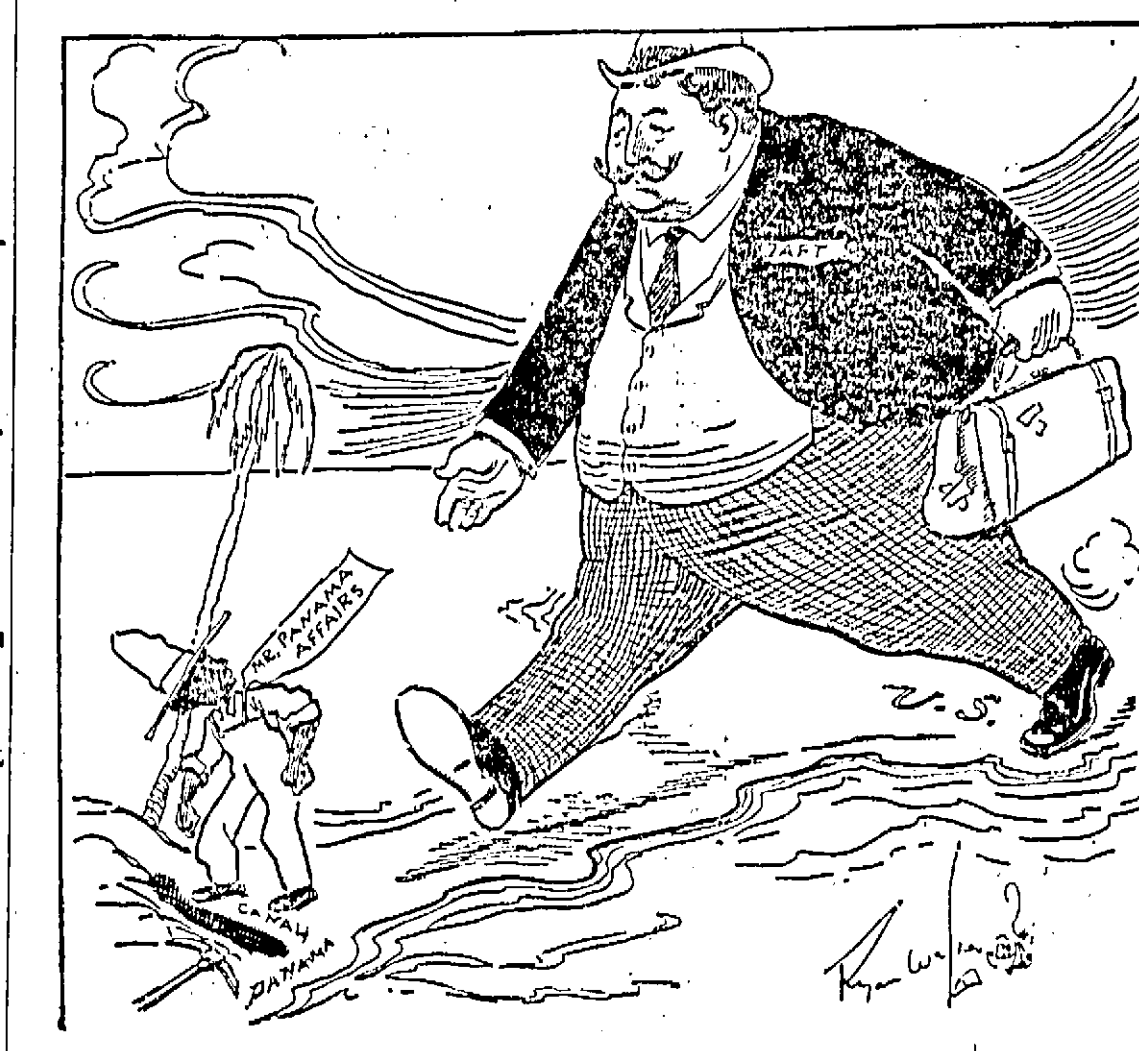
Niece of Mrs. William Peters Missing Since Noon—Her Aunt, Mrs. Burgess, Also Gone.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]

Little nine-year-old Eva Stiekney, who has been making her home for some time past with her aunt, Mrs. William Peters, of 10 Chatham street, has been missing since noon and has not yet been located. The little girl started out to meet her uncle on his way home from work, as was her custom, but did not return and since then has not been seen. It is thought that she has been kidnapped, as an aunt of hers, a Mrs. Burgess of Chicago, who has been visiting Mrs. Peters over Christmas, asked for the children, a boy and a girl, and said she would get them when her request was refused.

Mrs. Burgess left the Peters home yesterday evening, saying she was going to Chicago, but this morning one of the boys said that he saw her go by the house. From this Mrs. Peters thinks that her sister took the little girl to Chicago with her.

The two children, Eva and Harold Stiekney, aged nine and seven, are the children of a dead sister of Mrs. Peters. On the death of their mother they were brought to Janesville and Mrs. Peters was appointed their guardian. The sister, Mrs. Burgess of Chicago, opposed this and has since asked for the children several times. Mrs. Burgess' actions in the past few days have led Mrs. Peters to believe that she could tell where the little girl is if Mrs. Burgess could be found.



Taft—What's the trouble down here?
President-Elect Taft will soon make a trip to Panama to adjust matters.—News Item.

BASEBALL MAGNATES MEET IN CHICAGO

American Association Heads Meet at Auditorium Today Behind Closed Doors.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]

Chicago, Ill., Dec. 29.—The baseball magnates of the American association had a busy program ahead of them when they met in annual session behind closed doors at the Auditorium shortly before noon today. The scheduled business included the awarding of the championship pennant to the Indianapolis club, the election of officers, the appointing of a schedule committee and the choice of a chairman of the board of directors.

GLADSTONE'S MEMORY HONORED IN LONDON

Wreaths Are Placed on Monument of Great Commoner in London Today.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]

London, Dec. 29.—Wreaths and other floral offerings were placed about the Gladstone monument today in front of St. Clement Danes church, in the Strand, in observance of the anniversary of the birth of the Great Commoner.

MASSACHUSETTS MAN ACCEPTS POSITION

Beekman Winthrop Will Be First Assistant to the Secretary of State When Bacon Takes Root's Place.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

Washington, Dec. 29.—Beekman Winthrop of Massachusetts today accepted the office of first assistant secretary of state under the incoming administration, succeeding Robert Bacon of New York, who, in January, is expected to temporarily succeed Elihu Root upon the latter's retirement. The tender today was made with the consent of President-elect Taft, by Senator Knox.

15 BADLY INJURED WHEN FLOOR FALLS

Collapsing of Floor of Court Room Abruptly Ends Trial of Negro.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

Ellicott City, Md., Dec. 29.—The second floor of a two-story building fell through this afternoon during the hearing before Justice Wallenhorst of William Haywood, a negro charged with murdering assault. It is estimated that fifteen persons were more or less seriously injured.

SOUTHWEST LIMA.

Southwest Lima, Dec. 29.—Everyone is enjoying our beautiful winter weather.

Mrs. Gus Smith and children spent Xmas with her parents near Whitewater.

Mr. and Mrs. Amel Frank entertained a number of friends Saturday.

Mrs. Wm. Dixon was in Whitewater Wednesday.

Herman Schultz has recently purchased the farm which he has been renting for the past two seasons.

Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Lackner spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kraft in Whitewater.

NEW YORK POULTRY SHOW OPEN TODAY

Nearly Ten Thousand Birds Are On Exhibition at Annual Show in Madison Square.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]

New York, Dec. 29.—Warblers and cackles of nearly 10,000 songbirds and barnyard fowls echoed through Madison Square Garden today on the occasion of the opening of the twenty-first annual exhibition of the New York Poultry, Pigeon and Pet Stock association. The main floor of the big building is given over to a great display of fancy-breed chickens, turkeys, ducks and geese. On platforms built around inside of the building are bantams, pigeons, rabbits and other animals whose delicate constitutions and aristocratic pedigrees will not allow of their mixing with the more common element on the floor below. The display of foreign birds this year is considerably larger than usual.

INDIANA MONUMENT DEDICATED TODAY

State Erects Statue in Memory of Soldiers Who Died at Vicksburg With Grant.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]

Vicksburg, Miss., Dec. 29.—With simple but impressive ceremonies the monument and markers erected by the state of Indiana in memory of the Indiana soldiers who participated in the siege and capture of Vicksburg by Gen. Grant in 1863, were dedicated in the Vicksburg Battle Park today. Governor Hanly and staff and a large party of Indiana war veterans participated in the ceremonies.

RACINE WOMAN HEIR TO LARGE FORTUNE?

Mrs. Anna Dichter Believes She Will Receive \$50,000 Left by Philadelphia Woman.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]

Racine, Wis., Dec. 29.—Mrs. Anna Dichter, a widow of this city, believes that she is heir to a fortune of \$50,000 left by Miss Mary Stringer of Philadelphia, Pa.

CASTRO'S FOLLOWERS FIGHT GOMEZ'S MEN

Twenty Men Killed and Fifty Wounded in Affray Between Adherents of Castro and Gomez.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

Port of Spain, Trinidad, Dec. 29.—There has been fighting at Macurea on the Venezuelan coast, between the adherents of Castro and the crew of the gunboat working in the interest of the new president, Gomez. About twenty men were killed and fifty were wounded. The Gomez party were obliged to withdraw temporarily, but later returned to resume the engagement.

MARITAL TROUBLES OF HAINS' ARE TOLD

Samuel Reed, Government Building Inspector, Tells of Conversations With Captain Hains Last June.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

Flushing, N. Y., Dec. 29.—The marital troubles of Captain Peter C. Hains, Jr., and his story of the estrangement with his wife, Claudia Hains, came out in the trial of Thornton J. Hains today when Samuel C. Reid, government building inspector at North Chicago, related conversations he had last June with Captain Hains. Mr. Reid stated Hains told him his wife had confessed she loved Annis Hains and evinced signs of great mental distress in the narration of his troubles.

NEW REVENUE CUTTER HAD A TRIAL TODAY

Yamacrow Had Official Acceptance Trial on the Delaware River Today.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]

Washington, D. C., Dec. 29.—The new revenue cutter Yamacrow, recently completed by the New York Shipbuilding Company of Camden, N. J., is to have her official acceptance trial today on the Delaware river. The Yamacrow is of the Seminole type and is intended for service on the South Atlantic coast, with headquarters at Savannah.

NEW YEAR'S SIGNAL AROUND THE WORLD

Naval Observatory Has Made Arrangements to Flash Signal Around the Globe.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]

Washington, D. C., Dec. 29.—Following a custom established several years ago, the naval observatory has made arrangements to flash the signal marking the instant the new year begins to the four standard time belts of the country. The time for each belt will be sent out from this city during the few minutes preceding the hour of midnight in each respective belt.

BASHFORD SUES THE STATE FOR BACK PAY

Brings Action Against Secretary of State For \$500 of Salary Which Claims Did Not Receive.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]

Madison, Wis., Dec. 29.—Former Judge J. M. Bashford of Madison who was appointed by Gov. Davidson a year ago to serve out the unexpired term of Justice Cassidy, deceased, and later defeated for re-election, today began an action against Secretary of State James A. Fear for \$500, which he claims to be still due him on his salary. Judge Cassidy was paid \$5,000 annually, but during his term the increased salary law was passed, making it \$6,000 annually. Secretary of State Fear claimed the salary law applied to the term and not to the man and refused to give Judge Bashford more than \$2,500 for six months he served.

Judge Bashford now brings action for the additional \$500. The case will be heard in the Supreme Court on January 26.

RICH FOREIGNER'S LIFE WORTH LITTLE

Superintendent of Railway Construction in Montana Tells of Helping to Bury Nine Men Murdered For Their Money.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]

Chippewa Falls, Wis., Dec. 29.—Patrick O'Rourke, who was Superintendent of Railway construction in Montana says he has helped bury in the past six months nine men who have been murdered and robbed. None of the assassins were apprehended. Mr. O'Rourke claims that the life of the foreigner in that country is not worth much if he is known to have any money.

Veteran Montana Editor Dead.
Berkeley, Cal., Dec. 29.—Robert Emmett Risk, for 35 years editor of the Helena (Mont.) Herald, and confidential friend of President Garfield and James G. Blaine, died yesterday at his Berkeley home, aged 71 years. He served in the civil war, attaining the rank of major and established the Helena Herald in 1867.

Rockford Bacchanals: Gus Johnson and George Carlson have been brought in from Detroit and lodged in the county jail on drunk and disorderly charges. When arrested in the Rockford city they stated that they were Rockford residents looking for a good time.

TEACHERS GATHER IN STATE ASS'N'S

SEVEN ASSOCIATIONS WILL HOLD ANNUAL MEETINGS THIS WEEK.

GOOD PROGRAMS PREPARED

Southern Educational Association Convenes in Atlanta in 19th Annual Session.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]

Atlanta, Ga., Dec. 29.—The Southern Educational association convened here in its twenty-ninth annual session today, the estimated attendance being one thousand persons. The indications are that the gathering will prove one of the most successful ever held by the association, for nothing has been left undone which could conduce to the pleasure of the visitors. Many of the most prominent educators of the country are present.

The convention met for its initial session this morning, with President P. P. Claxton of Knoxville in the chair. The roll call showed an attendance of state superintendents, college presidents and other educators of note from Virginia, the Carolinas, Mississippi, Alabama, Florida, Georgia, Tennessee, Louisiana, Texas, Arkansas and several other states. The exchange of greetings and the opening addresses and reports of officers occupied the greater part of the initial session.

At the open meeting tonight speakers of national prominence are to be heard on topics of general interest. The regular program of business will be taken up tomorrow morning. The entire forenoon will be devoted to a discussion of the problem of negro education. Agricultural schools, industrial education and school management are leading topics slated for consideration at some of the subsequent sessions. Attractive programmes of papers and discussions have been prepared also for the conferences of the various departments into which the association is divided.

Teachers at Austin.
Austin, Texas, Dec. 29.—The city is rapidly filling up with teachers who come to attend the annual meeting of the State Teachers' association, and the indications are that by night there will be not less than a thousand visitors in the city. The names of many leading educators are found on the three days' program, which is one of unusual interest. The association proper will hold morning and evening sessions. During the afternoon there will be sectional meetings—superintendents, principals, college, etc.

The sessions will be open in the auditorium of the State University this evening. The speakers will include Governor Campbell, Superintendent A. N. McCallum of Austin, President Moses of the State University, and Superintendent John W. Hopkins of Galveston.

Oklahoma Pedagogues.
Shawnee, Okla., Dec. 29.—Oklahoma teachers took Shawnee by storm today in readiness for their second annual state convention. The gathering will be in session three days, during which time there will be addresses by Governor Haskell, State Superintendent Cameron, Principal C. H. Roberts of Guthrie, President McLaughlin of the Central Normal school and others of prominence. The program arranged provides for papers, addresses and discussions on all practical topics in which teachers are interested.

Teachers Meet in Spokane.
Spokane, Wash., Dec. 29.—The members of the Washington Educational association took possession of Spokane today and will continue to exercise control until Friday. A record-breaking attendance is assured. Today was devoted to the reception of the visitors and the completion of the final details of the convention program. Tonight a public reception in honor of the visitors takes place in the Masonic Temple.

The prominent speakers to be heard at the convention this year include President Schuchman of Cornell university, Dr. E. O. Sisson of the University of Washington, Miss Ida Bender of Buffalo, N. Y., and Dr. Chas. A. McMurray of the Illinois Normal school. Superintendent A. H. Yoder of Tacoma, who is president of the association, will deliver his annual address tomorrow morning.

Missouri Teachers in Session.
Kansas City, Mo., Dec. 29.—More than one thousand delegates attending the opening session of the forty-seventh annual meeting of the Missouri State Teachers' association are here today. All the leading educators of the state are present. Prof. Howard A. Goss of Jefferson City, president of the association, made the opening address, and was followed by Prof. Luder Loeb of the state university and other prominent educators. One of the big features of the convention will be an address tomorrow night by Dr. Frank Gamaliel, president of the Armour Institute of Chicago.

South Dakota Educators.
Aberdeen, S. D., Dec. 29.—The twenty-sixth annual meeting of the South Dakota Educational association began this afternoon. There are a large number of teachers in the city and a good session is expected. Judge A. W. Campbell delivered an address of welcome and President French of Huron college responded for the visitors.

Prominent speakers are to be heard during the three days' session are State Superintendent Nathan C. Schaeffer of Pennsylvania, Judge Ben B. Lindsey of Denver, G. Fred Knapp of Brookings, and State Superintendent Estrup of South Dakota. Dr. Thomas Nicholson, president of the association, will deliver his address tomorrow evening.

Gathering of Indiana Educators.
Indianapolis, Ind., Dec. 29.—Indiana pedagogues will be much in evidence here during the remainder of this week. The State Teachers' association begins its fifty-fifth annual meeting this evening with addresses by the retiring president, Dr. E. B. Bryan,

president of Franklin college, and by the president-elect, George W. Benton, of Indianapolis. Another speaker of the evening will be President L. D. Harvey, president of the Stout Training school, Menomonee, Wis. The general sessions and department conferences will begin work in earnest tomorrow.

New Jersey Teachers.
Atlantic City, N. J., Dec. 29.—Several hundred teachers are in attendance on the fifty-fourth annual meeting of the New Jersey State Teachers' association, which is being held here. The annual address of James E. Bryan of Camden, president of the association, was delivered at the opening session. Other speakers were Miss Mary Louise Arnold, dean of Simmons college, and Charles H. Morse, secretary of the Massachusetts Commission on Industrial Education. The convention will remain in session three days.

TODAY'S CHICAGO MARKETS.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]

Chicago, Dec. 29.

Cattle
Cattle receipts, 4,500.
Market, steady.
Hog receipts, 3,500.
Market, 5.55@5.80.
Pork, 5.00@5.45.
Wool, 3.00@5.55.
Stocks and feeders, 2.70@4.80.
Cows and heifers, 1.50@5.00.
Hogs
Hog receipts, 32,000.
Market, 5.60@5.65 lower.
Light, 5.65@5.80.
Mixed, 5.45@5.60.
Heavy, 5.45@5.65.
Rough, 5.45@5.60.
Good to choice heavy, 5.60@5.65.
Pigs, 4.00@5.10.
Bulk of sales, 5.55@5.90.
Sheep
Sheep receipts, 15,000.
Market, strong.
Native, 2.60@4.85.
Western, 2.60@4.80.
Wool, 3.00@5.55.
Lamb, 4.50@7.75.
Western, 4.50@7.70.

Wheat
May—Opening, 1.06 1/4%; high, 1.07 1/4%; low, 1.05 1/4%; closing, 1.07 1/4% asked.
July—Opening, 98 1/4%; high, 99 1/4%; low, 98 1/4%; closing, 99 1/4% asked.
Dec.—Opening, 1.07 1/4%; high, 1.08 1/4%; low, 1.06 1/4%; closing, 1.07 1/4%.

Rye
Closing—75.
Dec.—73.
May—78.
Closing—60 @ 64.
Corn
May—61 1/4%.
July—61 1/4%.
Sept.—61 1/4%.
Dec.—57 1/4%.

Oats
May—51 1/4%.
July—50 1/4%.
Sept.—50 1/4%.
Dec.—49 1/4%.

Poultry
Turkeys—16.
Springers—13.
Chickens—11 1/2.
Butter
Creamery—22 @ 23.
Dairy—21 1/2 @ 22.
Eggs
Eggs—30.

JANESVILLE MARKETS
Janesville, Wis., Dec. 29.

Feed
New Ear Corn—\$13 @ \$14.50 per ton.
Corn Meal—\$1.30 @ \$1.35 per 100 lbs.
Feed Corn and Oats—\$23 ton.
Standard Middlings—\$25 @ \$26.
Oil Meal—\$1.70 @ \$1.85 per cwt.
Hran—\$25 @ \$26 per ton.
Oats, Hay, Straw.
New Oats—50 @ 51.
Hay—\$9.00 per ton.
Straw—\$5 @ \$6 per ton.

Rye and Barley
Rye—72 @ 73.
Barley—50 @ 51.
Butter and Eggs
Creamery Butter—32 1/2%.
Dairy Butter—25 @ 30%.
Eggs, Fresh—27 @ 28.
Eggs, Packed—25%.

Elgin Prices.
Elgin, Ill., Dec. 28.—The Elgin board of trade today declared butter firm. The total output for the week in this district was 611,200 lbs.

Vegetables.
Potatoes—65 @ 75 bu.
Rutabagoes—50c bu.
Onions—60 @ 75c bu.
Squash—\$1.00 @ \$1.25 doz.
Carrots—14 @ 15c bu.
Turnips—14 @ 15c bu.
Apples—\$4.50 @ \$5.50 per barrel.

Poultry Market.
Live fowls are quoted at the local markets as follows:
Chickens—40c.
Springers—9 @ 10c.
Ducks—8 @ 9c.
Turkeys—15 @ 16c.
Geese—\$7 @ \$9 by dozen.

Dressed.
Chickens—10 @ 11c.
Springers—11 @ 12c.
Ducks—11 @ 12c.
Turkeys—20c.
Geese by dozen—\$10 @ \$11.

Veal.
Different grades light, medium and fancy range from 5 @ 6c.

Hogs.
Hogs, different grades from 5 @ 5 1/2c.
Pigs—14 @ 15c.

Miss Agnes Torphy.
[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]

Footville, Wis., Dec. 29.—At one o'clock this morning, Miss Agnes Torphy died at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Torphy. Miss Torphy died at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Torphy. Miss Torphy would have been twenty-three years of age had she lived until the twenty-fifth of January. Tuberculosis was the cause of her death, she having been in poor health for the past three years. Besides a mother and father, she leaves four brothers and four sisters to mourn her loss. Her funeral will be held at nine o'clock Thursday morning in Footville and the interment will be in Mt. Olivet cemetery at Janesville.

NEWS FROM NEAR-BY TOWNS

BELOIT

Beloit, Dec. 28.—Mrs. Thomas Patrick spent Christmas with her daughter, Mrs. Anna of Clinton.

Rob Hawley's entertained company from Beloit and Newark, Christmas.

L. J. McCrea and family spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Eldredge of Beloit.

Miss Minnie Balling of Janesville and Richard Balling of Beloit spent Christmas at home with their parents.

Mrs. Anna Jones entertained company from east of Beloit and east of Janesville, Christmas.

Mrs. Minnie Kollins and little grandson, Russell Gowan, are spending a few days with relatives in Elgin, Ill.

The Christmas exercises at the town line school were well attended Wednesday night and all had a good time.

David Throne is having a vacation for a few days in his school.

MAGNOLIA

Magnolia, Dec. 28.—There will be services held in the advent church every night this week except Saturday night, commencing at seven o'clock. Everyone is invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer McCoy and daughter have been spending a couple of weeks with their parents, G. S. McCoy.

Adv. Postle and daughter, Friends, spent Christmas in Illinois with his daughter, Mrs. Bliss, returning home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Maud entertained company Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Rev. Arnold called on Mrs. Lottie Edwards and family Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. McCoy entertained company of their relatives Christmas dinner.

David Archison is again back to his old town to spend a couple of months with his family. It seems good to see his face with us again.

The Helmer Union society will hold a New Year's dinner at the home of Mrs. Warren Andrews at Calville. All are invited to attend.

KOSHKONG

Koshkong, Dec. 28.—Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Blazol, Saturday, December 26, a boy.

Nelson Clarke and son-in-law, E. B. Marks, spent a few days of last week in Chicago.

Miss Anna Delbrick of Johnston Center is spending a week with her sister, Mrs. W. Miller.

Mrs. and Robert Stewart of Milwaukee and Kate Stewart of Johnson Creek spent Christmas with their mother, Mrs. John Shaw.

Will Waterman and family of Milton spent Christmas Day with his sister, Mrs. D. Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Vogel and daughters Mabel and Thelma went to Beloit to spend a few days with her sister, Mrs. Harry Nye.

Mr. Frank Shuman entertained at Christmas dinner Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Shuman, Fred and Charlotte Hulse, Edith Shuman and sisters Dorothy and Mary.

Miss Dolan Brunson closed school Wednesday with Christmas tree and program in the evening.

Fay Coon closed school Thursday with a Christmas tree and program in the afternoon. School will begin January 6.

D. Brown made a business trip to Chicago Tuesday, returning Wednesday.

Alex. Shuman, Jr., came up from Beloit to spend the holidays with his parents.

Edna Kraus was taken suddenly ill Thursday night after school. Dr. Hull of Milton Junction was called and she is now able to be around the house.

Dr. Blinnwood of Milton is attending Mrs. Johnson who is very sick.

Mrs. L. Miller entertained a few of the neighbors Thursday evening, who enjoyed the occasion very much.

L. Young and daughter Annie visited at Evansville last week.

JOHNSTOWN

Johnstown, Dec. 28.—C. Craig has received the tax roll and will be at the Johnstown store every Tuesday and at the Center store Thursday during the month of January, commencing January 6th.

P. Sharpe, of Idaville, Indiana preached at the Rock Prairie church last Sunday.

Miss Florence Math returned home Monday after a short visit with friends.

Miss Emma Edwards and Rosa Lerch were last week guests at Mr. George Mathew's.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Craig attended his brother's golden anniversary last Saturday at Palmyra.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Jones were Sunday guests of Dolanville friends.

Mrs. Hill and family of Whitewater are guests of her sister, Mrs. A. P. Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Wilbur will entertain the Larkin club Wednesday evening of this week.

Dr. and Mrs. Diko held a family reunion at their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Godfrey entertained twenty-four relatives at dinner on Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. John Schmalling entertained all their children and families at a Christmas dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Cogwell entertained a company of relatives on Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Carter and Ralph were guests of Mrs. C. Wood over Christmas.

W. Wilber and W. Morgan and their families were Christmas guests at their brother's, Howard Morgan, of Lima.

Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Hall served turkey Christmas to Mr. and Mrs. H. Pothory and Miss Mary Pothory of Janesville.

Otto Schmalling is working in the creamery during Mr. Montgomery's vacation.

UTTERS CORNERS

Utters Corners, Dec. 28.—Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Hullock and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hullock, of Toledo, Ohio, are in the city. Mr. Hullock is a partner in the firm of J. C. Hullock & Co., doing business in the city of Toledo, Ohio, and is a resident of Toledo, Ohio. He will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every copy of the "Cure for Catarrh" and "Cure for Gonorrhea" in my possession, this 28th day of December, A. D. 1908.

Dr. J. C. Hullock is a resident of Toledo, Ohio, and is a partner in the firm of J. C. Hullock & Co., doing business in the city of Toledo, Ohio. He will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every copy of the "Cure for Catarrh" and "Cure for Gonorrhea" in my possession, this 28th day of December, A. D. 1908.

Mrs. Herbert Jones and two sons of Whitewater were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Schultz Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Rogers of Janesville were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. H. Roe from Thursday night until Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Farnsworth and daughter Nettie spent Christmas eve with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. H. Roe.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Teetahora and children spent the day with their mother, Mrs. Sprackling, in Whitewater.

Mrs. E. H. Warner, Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Warner and three children of Whitewater, Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Farnsworth and daughter Nettie, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Teetahora and three children, J. H. Peacock, and Miss Dolan, were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Farnsworth, Mrs. E. H. Warner remaining for a few days' visit with her daughter and family and Miss Nettie went home with her sister, Mrs. Dixon, for a short stay.

Mrs. Irvin Frommiller and little son spent several days, including Christmas, with her parents at Waukegan.

H. W. Farnsworth went to Cresco, Iowa, Saturday night, called there for the sickness of his aged father, Mr. Farnsworth. He also has two sisters at Cresco and one at Decatur, and two brothers and other relatives at Cresco, who he will not doubt visit on his return.

We learn that Mr. Heldman of Whitewater has purchased the farm belonging to the heirs of the late John Stanko in the town of Johnston and will take possession soon.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Hull were pleasantly entertained at the home of the Vance brothers in North Lima, Wednesday.

T. Tibbets of Hebron, Ill., was buying guns here last week. He succeeded in picking up a carload of good ones for which he paid good prices.

C. H. Sherman and family and Roy Sherman and family spent Christmas at George Blinnwood's, in Whitewater. Herman Schultz and family spent Sunday at Peter Elphick's.

CAINVILLE

Cainville, Dec. 28.—Two much cannot be said in praise of the able number in which the teacher and pupils of the Cainville school conducted their excellent program. The program consisted of recitations, drills, dialogues and tableaux. "The Street or Corners School" was one of the bright stunts of the evening.

Mrs. Otto Mann of Broadhead visited her sister, Mrs. Will Rowland, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Townsend entertained a large company of relatives Christmas day. Among the guests were Mrs. Harding and son, Norman, of Chicago.

The Holpers' Union will hold their New Year's dinner at the home of Mrs. Warren Andrews. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

Roy Townsend returned to Beloit after a two weeks' vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bennett of Vernon Co. visited the former's mother a part of last week.

Frank Bennett shipped a carload of cattle and Wm. Draflah a carload of sheep the first of the week.

WEST MAGNOLIA

West Magnolia, Dec. 28.—The Holpers' Union will have a New Year's dinner at the home of Mrs. Warren Andrews, Friday. You are invited to attend.

A large crowd attended the Christmas tree and exercises at the Cainville school Friday night and felt well paid for so doing.

Miss Minnie Edwards took tea with Mr. and Mrs. Will Harper, Thursday.

Revival meetings are being held in the A. C. church every night this week beginning at seven o'clock sharp. You are cordially invited to attend these meetings.

Rev. and Mrs. E. B. Arnold spent a couple of days of last week with Mr. Hyatt and Charles Weaver and their families of Evansville.

David Archison of Kitchell, S. D., is here shaking hands with old friends and visiting relatives. He will make an extended visit here.

Mrs. Glen Clark spent the last part of last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Harper.

Mrs. John Boyd of Janesville spent last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harper. John came out Christmas to eat Christmas dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Knudsen will move onto their farm in South Magnolia this week.

Some of our wise hunters declare they have seen a fox track in West Magnolia the past week. Suppose they were not out nor drink until they find out it is only a shepherd dog's track.

Miss Emma Lovvorn is visiting at her brother Herman's and Mr. George is seen on our streets once more.

EMERALD GROVE

Emerald Grove, Dec. 28.—The annual meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary will be held on Tuesday afternoon, Jan. 5. Officers for the ensuing year will be elected. No dinner will be served.

Wm. Allen of Whitewater is a visitor at the home of his daughter, Mrs. J. A. McArthur.

Miss Edith Davidson of Chicago is home for the holidays.

The annual church meeting will be held on Thursday of next week, Jan. 7. The ladies will serve dinner at noon.

The next meeting of the N. N. A. on the first Wednesday in January the newly-elected officers will be installed.

Victor Davidson spent Christmas at home.

Leon Jones was a visitor at his home from Friday until Sunday.

A fine time is reported by those who attended the surprise party for Roy and Daisy Dean last Monday evening.

FOOTVILLE

Footville, December 28.—The Christmas trees were attended by large crowds and were very much enjoyed by the children.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Dibble of Madison spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. Dibble's father, J. W. Quimby.

Mrs. H. A. Egerton is quite sick.

The tobacco warehouse started Monday morning with a full crowd of sorters.

Among those who were here for Christmas were Lester and Perry Strang, Paul Matlice, John Canary,

Clyde Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. Herald Snyder, Miss Paula Richards, Roy Chippman and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Torphy.

Mrs. Jennie Harding of Chicago attended O. E. S. lodge here Saturday night and was installing officer at the installation of officers. She returned to her home Sunday.

On Monday night, Jan. 4th, Rev. Melale of Richland Center will begin meetings at the Christian church. Everyone is most cordially invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Trevora went to Edgerton Thursday, returning home Monday noon.

Mr. and Mrs. Vern Gove are with us again. Mr. Gove is foreman of the warehouse. They will occupy the rooms over F. R. Lowry's store.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Snyder and daughter spent Christmas in Janesville.

MAGNOLIA CENTER

Magnolia Center, Dec. 28.—A large crowd attended the Christmas tree and exercises given by Miss Letta Walton and pupils of district No. 3 Wednesday evening, Dec. 23. The tokens which Miss Walton received show in what high esteem she is held by her scholars.

Anna Govey was an Evansville visitor Wednesday.

Ray Roberts, son of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Roberts, underwent an operation at Evansville this week. Ray is doing nicely. The surgeon is Dr. John Evans of Evansville.

Mrs. Doll Lee was an Evansville visitor Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Setzer entertained a number of friends Christmas eve.

Kenneth Gilbertson of Evansville was a visitor in this place Wednesday evening.

Mr. Miller of Evansville was a Magnolia visitor Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Hollingshead and family spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. G. L. McCoy.

Ernest Harnack and sister Cora were center visitors Wednesday evening.

Willie Neely is enjoying a vacation.

NEW GLARUS

New Glarus, Dec. 28.—Matthias Pich, bookkeeper for the Northwestern Electric Supply Co. of Madison, and Thomas Kumbert, collector for the State Journal of the same place, are home with their folks over the holidays.

S. A. Schindler, member of the Green county highway committee, had business in Monroe on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alttman of Mendota spent Christmas with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Hooley, here.

Frank Streiff, Jr., made a business trip to Janesville and Madison on Christmas day.

Miss Anna Elmer, who attends college at Evansville, Ill., is spending a vacation with relatives and friends here.

Mrs. Clarence Oliver of Clinton spent Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Caser Hooley, here.

Mrs. Albert Zwiley and children are here from Madison to visit with relatives.

Mrs. Clara and Louisa Stumm are home from Red Wing, Minn., where they attend school.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Oliver of Bellevue were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Caser Hooley for a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Schroeder and children of Plattville came here on Saturday night to attend the funeral of the wife's brother, Arthur, on Wednesday afternoon.

Prod Tschudy is the new clerk at Platt's shoe store.

Joe Hooley and Freddie Stuehly had business in Broadhead between trains on Saturday afternoon.

EAST CENTER

East Center, Dec. 28.—New Year's is nearing and many good resolutions are being formed by our young people.

Vacation in the Brown school is being enjoyed by the teacher and pupils.

Mrs. Charles Crall is confined to the house with the mumps. This makes the second attack for her.

Mrs. Mary Liscomb is confined to the house with a severe cold. Dr. St. John of Janesville was called Sunday.

Mrs. William Dourrow, Sr., is quite sick with a stomach trouble.

Mr. and Mrs. William Beaman announce the birth of a daughter.

Charley Cator and daughter Fern of Onondaga county are calling on old friends in this vicinity.

Mrs. Will Dixon entertains the Craft & Todd club Monday. A new time is promised.

John Guld and family are entertaining a young gentleman friend from Illinois.

COOKSVILLE

Cooksville, Dec. 28.—Henry and Arthur Stoneburner of Beloit and Mrs. Alice Beale of Avon were summoned here last week by the alarming illness of their father, E. T. Stoneburner, whose condition remains about the same.

Arthur Denton from near Evansville.

NEW SKIN REMEDY STOPS ITCHING

Skin Troubles of Infants and Adults Quickly Cured.

When it is known that poslam, the new skin remedy, will stop the torturing itching attending eczema with first application and bring immediate relief and comfort to sufferers from all skin troubles, its merit will be instantly appreciated. On the tender skin of chafing infants, poslam may be used with soothing and beneficial effects. It is applied externally, and its remarkable healing powers begin their work at once.

All skin diseases, including eczema, acne, herpes, rash, tetter, etc., yield readily to its remarkable curative properties. Occasional applications of poslam, in small quantities, will quickly banish pimples, rashes, blackheads, blotches, and will relieve and cure itching feet, scaly scalp, humors, etc. A special poslam package has been adopted for those who use poslam for these minor troubles. This, as well as the regular two-dollar jar, is on sale at Holmstrom's, the Smith Drug Co., and other leading drug stores in Janesville.

An experimental supply of poslam may be obtained free of charge, by writing to the Emergency Laboratories, 32 West Twenty-fifth Street, New York City.

ville was an over-Sunday visitor with Oscar and Herbert Furseth.

J. Robertson and wife were Evansville shoppers last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Furseth were Sunday visitors with the former's mother.

Paul Savage and wife and Dell Danke and family were guests on Sunday at the home of Oren Johnson.

The Christmas tree at the Lutheran church on Sunday evening was a great success. The program was very much enjoyed by all present and the tree was a beauty.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Savage and family spent Christmas at the home of Henry Hoffman.

Mrs. S. B. Warner has gone to Mukwonago, being called to the bedside of a sister who is very low.

Misses Clara and Ida Olson and Marie Bradstad of Stoughton were over-night visitors on Sunday.

Old Exner from Oregon was a caller on Sunday afternoon.

SANDY SINK

Sandy Sink, Dec. 28.—Rev. R. N. York and family spent Christmas day with Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Alverson of Catta Corners.

Aug. Buetow and family entertained Mr. and Mrs. H. Grunzel the latter part of last week.

Miss Minnie Buetow is on the sick list.

Miss Ella Albright spent over Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. Becker.

David and Thomas Cratchton visited in this vicinity last week.

Hattie Hubber called at C. Yalmke's, Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. W. S. Medler and children spent one day last week with Mrs. R. Becker.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Grunzel and children and Mrs. A. E. Buetow and son spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Becker.

NORTH CENTER

North Center, Dec. 28.—James Cullen is delivering logs to Theo. Casady and M. L. O'Neill at the Leyden today.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus John and son, Walter, are spending the holidays with relatives at Lake Mills.

James Riley visited at his grandmother's home in Janesville one day the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. James Murphy of Footville were guests at Lawrence Barrett's, Sunday.

James Cullen ate his Christmas dinner at his brother's home in the town of Harmony.

The following ladies attended the Christmas tree here Wednesday night:

THUMPING HEADACHES.

Many Janesville Women Have Them, But Few Know the Real Cause.

Dull, thumping headaches, Sick, prostrating headaches, Dizzy, whirling, blind headaches—Point to disorders of the kidneys. Tell of uric poisons in the blood. Narcotics may ease the pain, but won't cure the cause. Doan's Kidney Pills cure the kidneys.

Remove uric poisons, purify the blood, Banish headache, backache, urinary ills.

Here's Janesville testimony to prove it.

Mrs. Emille Hell, living at 418 S. Franklin St., Janesville, Wis., says: "I suffered terribly from pains about the small part of my back for months. My head ached at times and later the secretions from my kidneys began to get irregularly. I was feeling miserable when someone told me to get Doan's Kidney Pills. I procured them from the People's Drug Co., and after many others who are suffering from aches and pains, brought on by kidney disorder, will try Doan's Kidney Pills and be convinced of their merit."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-McIlburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

Agnes and Gertrude Smith of Janesville and Marie Fox of Porter, and then spent the following day with their cousins, the Barrett girls.

Mrs. Otto Korsten and Mrs. Chas. Kopke intend to spend this week in Milwaukee.

LIMA

Lima, Dec. 28.—F. H. Young and family of Milwaukee visited friends here Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Lizzie McCord Nelson and children of Osage, Iowa, are spending the week with her father, W. J. McCord, and family.

Mrs. Robt. Poncock is under the care of Dr. Reed.

Mr. and Mrs. Land spent their Christmas vacation with his parents at Cambridge, Wis.

Mrs. Sarah Waller and Miss Vio Montgomery of Clinton were over-Sunday visitors at M. Holbrook's.

Mrs. L. L. Moore and family returned from Delavan Saturday after spending Christmas with relatives.

Frank Anderson of Toledo, Ohio, visited at the home of his sister, Mrs. T. L. Reese, over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Moore entertained at cards on Tuesday evening.

Charles J. Gould of Greenville, O., A. P. Gould and wife of Milwaukee, Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Hall of Whitewater and E. Malcolm and family of Heart Prairie partook of turkey and plum pudding at W. L. Elphick's, Christmas day.

Mrs. C. D. Child of Janesville called on relatives here one day last week.

Misses Jessie and Della Bowers are home for vacation.

S. L. Sullivan and Jessie spent Thursday to Sunday with W. H. Cora and family near Johnston.

S. M. Gleason returned Wednesday from a week's visit with their son at Janesville.

Mrs. Alma Blash of Whitewater, Mr. and Mrs. A. May of Milton Junction, Mr. and Mrs. John Collins and Bert Collins and wife were Christmas visitors with Mrs. Fred Gould and Orin.

Mrs. Anna Wooster of Whitewater is visiting relatives here this week.

Mrs. Ella Elphick has gone to spend vacation with his cousin, Miss Ada Crandall, at Milton Junction.

The annual meeting of the Lima Fire Insurance company is called for Tuesday, Jan. 5, 1909, in Holbrook's hall at 4 p. m.

Mrs. Cummings has so far recovered from her long illness as to be able to go with her family to Johnston on Christmas day.

Order extra copies of the Gazette's Chronological Review Edition at once so that reservation may be made. Telephone or call at the office.



For Wednesday and Thursday We Are Making Special Prices On Our

FUR MUFFS AND COLLARS

Owing to the mild weather we have on hand more stock than usual at this time of year. The price reductions are substantial ones, the question of profit being entirely eliminated.

Handsome sable wolf collar, 65 inches long, worth \$12.00, special price \$7.50

Coney and Fox Muffs, 8 special numbers, now priced from \$3.25 to \$6.00

Child's White Angora Fur Sets, collar and muffs, were \$1.50 set, now, set \$1.00

Child's White Astrachan with Angora fringe Fur Sets that were \$2.50, now, set \$1.98

We have a large variety of popular priced Collars, Boas, child's dark Fur Collars, etc., that we are anxious to close out. All are now marked regardless of cost.

HOLME'S STORE

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE

Of the Stock of the Mrs. E. Hall Estate

BEGINNING WEDNESDAY, DEC. 30th, ENDING SATURDAY, JAN. 9th.

Money saved is money earned. Odd lots and broken sizes will be sold at greatly reduced prices. This sale is inaugurated to reduce stock before taking inventory and settling the estate.

GLASSWARE.

3-inch Present glass berry dishes, very neat design, regular price 3c, sale price 1c each.

Imitation cut glass shorbet cups, regular price 10c, sale price 5c each.

Large water tumblers, heavy band of gold at top, regular price 7c, sale price 4c each.

Glass night lamps, complete with chimney, wick and burner, regular 10c lamps, at 6c each.

CROCKERY.

Large plates, oatmeal, vegetable and soup plates, pretty decorations, regular price 10c, sale price 8c each.

Individual butter, fancy decorations, regular price 4c, sale price 3c each.

Covered tyrens, neat decorations, regular price 85c, sale price 39c each.

Low prices on dinner sets.

KNIT GOODS.

Children's stocking caps, big variety of colors, regular price 25c, sale price 15c each.

Children's small sweaters and sweater jackets, regular price 50c, sale price 29c each.

Tam-O-Shanters, in red, blue or brown, regular price 50c, sale price 29c each.

White wool chest protector, regular price 50c, sale price 29c each.

WE HAVE ONLY MENTIONED A FEW OF THE MANY BARGAINS.

Read the Gazette Want Ads.

Two Premium Tickets For One Tomorrow and Thursday

The end of the premium tickets is in sight—only two days more. There are many people with a quantity of these tickets who wish to fill out enough to secure the premium they desire. These last two days you can get two tickets in place of one on your purchases. Tickets are redeemable at our store until April 1st.

The Big Discount Sale and Two For One Premium Tickets Make Double Value

Suits and Overcoats of the highest type are offered at the go-easy prices. You should act quickly.

Regular \$20.00 and \$22.50 suits and overcoats are now \$16.50

Regular \$16.50 and \$18.00 suits and overcoats are now \$14.50

Regular \$12.00 and \$13.50 suits and overcoats are now \$10.50

Boy's Overcoats at Saving Prices.

Regular \$10.00 coats cut to... \$7.50 Regular \$8.00 coats cut to... \$6.00

Regular \$6.50 coats cut to... \$4.95 Regular \$5.00 coats cut to... \$3.50

IN OUR SHOE SECTION

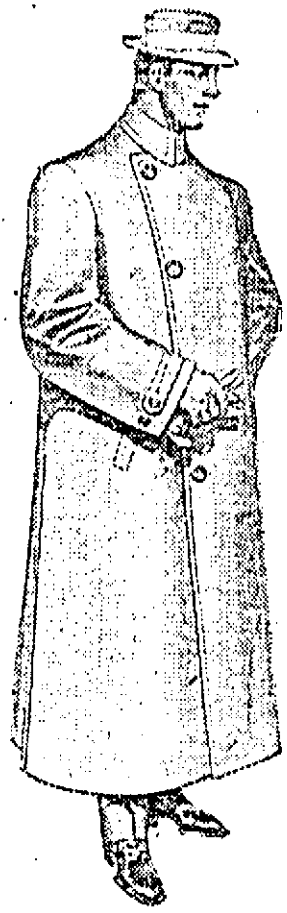
Queen Quality for women; we can't say more and make them any better, 40 styles... \$3.50, \$4

Bostonian and Kneeland for men \$3.50 and \$4

Dr. Reed's Cushion Comfort Shoes, easy to wear always..... \$5.00

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By using the very latest and best methods yet found to be practical.
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"It was nothing compared to what I usually suffer when I go to a Dentist."
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I think I am the only Dentist in the city using this Painless method.
It has been out but a very short time.
I don't claim to be the discoverer but I think I am the only user as yet in Janesville and I am delighted with the fine results obtained.
No danger or ill results upon heart or respiration.
Come in and talk with me about it. I can do you good.

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We give careful attention to commercial and private checking accounts.

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Dec. 31, Jan. 1 & 2

Turkish Delight

A soft creamy candy from an oriental receipt. A very popular confection in the Orient.
We think it very tasty.
Wouldn't you like some?

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One good resolution you should make and stick to is that you will purchase nothing but the PUREST and BEST milk. We can assist you to this end by supplying your requirements with PASTEURIZED Milk.

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TOBACCO MEN TO START SORTING

LOCAL WAREHOUSES WILL OPEN
IN A FEW DAYS.

WITH THE NEW YEAR

Begin the Winter's Work of the Packers and Shippers of Wisconsin's Famous Product.

The tope, the meekness of the deer, the rook, the raven—these are things that have been absent many months from the purlieus of Janesville, yet over there lingers the New Year fragrance of those pleasant leaves, called tobacco, which crumble into the bowls of Pipes of Peace and, with glow and wreathings, afford solace to those of us who would fain have that peace prevail.

Come now the tobacco-harvesting time of the year of grace 1908.

Piling into most of the warehouses just at this time are the initial consignments for the season of the late-grown leaf, and it is a coincidence that the season should commence almost synchronously with the ringing of New Year's chimes, the latter event being a signal for a general renunciation of tobacco on the part of even its most ardent devotees. But this reputation, it has been found, becomes null and void a few days later. Such is the infirmity of human clay. And, speaking of clay, brings us back to pipes, and from thence to our main topic.

The very Lord Mayor of Janesville is himself a trafficker in the wondrous weed.

Mayor Heddles threw upon the doors of his warehouse for the season yesterday morning and is "sizing" and "casing" already with a small force of men, expecting to put on more at the beginning of the new year.

J. L. Rorer is another dealer who is "rushing the season." He started a week ago, and his workers are now engaged in sorting several hundred cases. The stimulating fragrance of the unique vegetable permeates his establishment.

The Farmers' warehouse opens on the second day of January.

Fisher and Fisher will open in about two weeks.

George Decker opens about the last week in January.

But J. A. Ryan states that he will receive no consignments from the growers until March. "The crops are meagre this time," says Mr. Ryan, "and the prices are ruinously high."

"I don't know when I will begin my buying," says E. M. Chikina.

"There has been a drought," says John Soullman, of Southman and Mount. And because of the dry weather, the curing in the sheds has been delayed. The outlook is not very encouraging. It is dated to open the first of February.

L. B. Carle of L. B. Carle and Son states that his firm will begin receiving consignments about the middle of January. "I predict that we shall receive fully as many pounds as we did this year up to the first of June," he says, "but the average size of the leaf will not be as large."

"I think," says Sanford Severin, "that sales are going to be larger this year than last. We got all our consignments in small lots last season. I talked the other day with a man who owns \$500,000 worth of tobacco and he is very optimistic in regard to the situation."

E. L. Welsh will open operations within two weeks from today. "I would open sooner," said Mr. Welsh, "only considerable of the tobacco still lies in the northern part of the state waiting to be removed from the curing poles, stripped, banded, and banded ready for delivery. I guess the producers are awaiting softer weather for stripping."

F. S. Baines gets his cargoes the end of this week and will start sorting on Monday of next week.

G. H. Russell makes the following statement about conditions: "Tobacco, like everything, will have bigger sales next year than this. I open my warehouse the first Monday in January and intend to receive large quantities of splendid Wisconsin tobacco, together with a small amount of the Iowa grade. Iowa is but just entering into the competition, but will never become one of the big tobacco states. The soil of Iowa is not adapted to the growth of the unique weed."

HUNGARIANS LEAVE FOR OWN COUNTRY

Six Left This Morning on Long Journey to Budapest—Some Will Return.

During the past year nearly a hundred Hungarians and Austrians have started from Janesville on their return journey to their old home. Of this number, most of whom were employed by the sugar company, a large proportion will return and make their permanent homes in the United States.

Most of them come here, earn enough money to bring their families over and then buy farms in the west. Of the six who started today four of them intend to return. These four say that they can live with their families during the summer cheaper in the old country than they could here and as work was scarce here they decided to go home.

The six who left this morning were Martin Baldwin, Michael Herle, Lucas Schmitt, Anton Peller, Lucas Herle and Ferdinand Wolf.

One of them had been over here a little over a year and had saved nearly two thousand dollars in that time. With this he intended to pay off the mortgage on his farm and live there for the remainder of his life.

THE MISSES CHARLTON WILL GIVE DANCE THIS EVENING

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mrs. Louise Bowerman went to Milwaukee today, where she caters for a private party this evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hemmeling, who have been visiting in Janesville, have returned to Rockford.

Fred Leahy is home for a short visit.

John A. O'Grady and Sylvester G. O'Grady went to Noshkov, Wis., yesterday, where they will be the guests of the Rev. Fr. C. M. Olson, for a few days.

L. E. Williams and Miss M. Heller spent Christmas in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Foris of Rockford have been spending the holidays at the home of Mrs. Emma Williams on Locust street.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Sullivan and son Gerald of Milwaukee returned home this evening after spending Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Higgins.

Miss Adelaide Evans and Mr. Burton Hollister of Evansville are the guests of Mrs. Constance Pemberton at the Charlton party.

Miss Mae Valentine went to Chicago yesterday, where she will act as bridesmaid at the wedding of Miss Roxane Seabury to Dr. Percy Wright of Milwaukee, which occurs on Wednesday.

Attorney E. F. Carpenter was in Madison yesterday on business. He returned today.

C. S. Putnam was in Chicago yesterday.

Robert Brown, who lives north of town, left this morning for Los Angeles, California.

Robert Brown, who was unable to go on duty last night owing to illness, will be on duty again tonight.

Roy Peterson, Harry Nowlan, Louis Skavlen, E. F. Carpenter and R. Yeomans spent Sunday at Lake Koshkonong.

Dr. F. H. Kennedy of Madison is in Janesville today.

L. W. Pullen of Milwaukee was here this noon on business.

J. L. Bostwick left today for Louisville, Ky. He will return on Monday with his daughter, Faith, who has been visiting relatives in the south.

E. F. and H. F. Carpenter went to Milton this afternoon on business.

Rev. and Mrs. J. C. Hazen returned last evening from their wedding trip.

Dr. and Mrs. Lindstrom returned this noon from Molino, Ill., where they spent Christmas.

J. F. Sweeney was in Milwaukee today.

W. D. Hoyt of Manchester, Iowa, president of the Iowa Implement Dealers' Association, is here for a few days.

Miss Vera Searles returned to her home at Brookfield last evening, after spending a few days with Miss Blanche Plumb.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Clark of Sioux Falls, S. D., are spending a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John P. Joyce, Hickory street.

Dr. P. G. Wolcott has gone for a week's visit in Chicago.

James H. Ryan had business in Chicago today.

Dr. Ben Warren of Albany, Wis., returned to that point this morning after spending the holidays here with his mother on Cornelia street.

Fred Baker has left for Chicago to be gone three days.

Portland Wood of Stoughton came in last night to attend the musical ball given by Miss Zieker. He is here today, remaining in town to attend the Charlton gathering.

Sam Shymader came in from Beloit last night to be present at Miss Zieker's masked ball.

Robert Jensen is here from the University of Wisconsin, being a guest at the home of his brother, Fred.

John and Katie McCoy returned to Burlington this morning, having visited Stephen Leahy here.

The Rev. W. W. Stebbins, 224 Palm street, minister of the Seventh-day Adventists, left for Stevens Point on business this morning.

Frank Schimmo, the ten-year-old grandson of Mrs. Zlenow of 318 South Jackson street, left for Hannover this morning to visit his uncle, over this morning's train.

Wesley Phillips of North Hart street and his uncle, Robert L. Horne of the town of Janesville, went to Oshkosh this morning's train, to fordville on this morning's train.

A. J. Campbell, 351 Milton avenue, went to Madison on the 10:05 train.

W. C. Aldrich, who has been a visitor at the home of A. W. Cary on Logan street, returned on this morning's train to Lima.

W. Campbell, 55 Dodge street, got back today from a visit to Milwaukee relatives.

Mrs. L. Gilbertson, Roger avenue, went to Brookfield this morning to be the guest of her daughter, Mrs. B. A. Allen.

Mrs. M. J. Powers and her daughter, Hazel, 113 West Milwaukee street, will be in Hannover Ill after New Year's.

Mrs. L. H. Olson went back to Milwaukee today. She has made a brief stay in the home of Mrs. F. A. Bennett, 23 North Franklin street.

Rev. Henry Williamson of Trinity church has gone to Waukesha county to see friends.

G. H. Turner of South Main street went to Albany, Wis., this morning.

C. E. McCarthy got back from Avon today.

Mrs. E. Northrup of 17 South Academy street went to Lawrence, Mich., on this morning's train. Her brother, F. C. Rhodes, lives in that city.

Mrs. A. M. Rogers and her son, Frank, arrived this morning from Madison to visit O. D. Bates on Court street.

Attorney Edwin P. Carpenter got back from Madison today.

G. H. Turner of South Main street went to Albany, Wis., on today's train.

CALE CASE WAS PUT OVER FOR TWO WEEKS

Was Set for Yesterday—Local Authorities Waiting Action of Fond du Lac District Attorney.

Yesterday the case of James Cale in the municipal court was again adjourned for two weeks. This was done as the district attorney is still waiting to see what action will be taken by the authorities in Fond du Lac with regard to the charge upon which Cale was arrested while he was still on trial in this city. The action here may be dismissed if he is convicted in Fond du Lac. He is at present out on his own recognizance as far as Rock county is concerned.

Barry Examination

Leo Barry, who has been at the county jail for the past few days, was taken to Beloit today for his examination. Barry is held on a charge of having robbed two sisters in South Beloit of \$105.

BRIEF LOCAL NEWS.

Trimmed hats, values up to \$5, all at \$1.00 at Archie's.

Double premium tickets the next two days at Holberg's.

Solvey—burn it as you do hard coal. Blanket sale at Archie's.

You can secure two premium tickets the next two days on your purchases in place of one ticket. Holberg's.

Special sale of wet suits, worth up to \$10, at \$2.97. T. P. Burns.

Cloaks and suits at new prices at Archie's.

Place your orders for violets now for New Year's delivery. Janesville Floral Co.

Any ladies' Misses' or children's cloak or suit in the store at half price. T. P. Burns.

Regular meeting Janesville Camp No. 127, W. O. W., at Spanish War Veterans' hall tomorrow evening. Meeting called at 7:30. By order of Clerk.

Best blankets 50c and up. Archie's.

Any ladies' Misses' or children's cloak or suit in the store at half price. T. P. Burns.

La Prairie Grange No. 70 will meet at their hall Saturday evening, January 2, for the election of officers. All members are requested to be present. By order Sec'y, W. A. Harvey.

For sale at Archie's.

Don't miss our half price sale of ladies' Misses' and children's cloaks and suits. Your choice of any cloak or suit in the store at half price. T. P. Burns.

CRESCENT DANCING CLUB.

The seventh of series of dances given by the Crescent Dancing Club will be held in East Side Old Fellows' hall Wednesday evening, Dec. 20. Knott & Hatch's orchestra.

NOTICE.

The tax roll of the Town of Bradford for the year 1908 is now in my hands for collection. Will be at the Avalon store Jan. 8 and 22; Citizens' Bank, Clinton, Jan. 9 and 23; Emerald Grove store, Jan. 16 and 20.

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Fancy firm small Navel Oranges for slicing. Very cheap.

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Really fancy head lettuce 10c. We are right at the season now when head lettuce is at its best.

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Celery, Lettuce, Vegetable Oysters, Oranges and Bananas.

Sage, Pure Spices and Condiments.

New Vermillion Corn 7c.

3 cans Early June Peas 25c.

2 lbs. 15 Coffee 25c.

3 lbs. 20c Coffee 50c.

The Smile that never wears off Coffee 25c.

3 lbs. Richelieu Coffee \$1.00.

Best 50c Tea on Earth.

Richelieu Raisins 10c.

New Cleaned Currants 10c.

2 lbs. Mixed Nuts 25c.

Lemon, Orange and Citron Peel 20c lb.

Lutifish and Halibut Steak.

Home Canned Red and Black Raspberries.

Fine White Honey.

Gallon Jugs Ketchup.

Home Made Sweet Pickles.

6 lbs. Sweet Potatoes 25c.

Tytha Bar.

Blodgett's Self-Rising Buckwheat Flour.

Blodgett's Self-Rising Pancake Flour.

Moose Brand Pancake Flour.

3 pkgs. Richelieu Pancake Flour 25c.

Home Made Bread, Fried Cakes, Rolls.

Home Made Fruit Cake.

Lentils, Pearl Barley, Hominy.

Steel Cut Oatmeal.

Mrs. Lester's Home Made Mince Meat.

2 cans Dinner Bell Salmon 25c.

Satsumas.

Jersey Butterine 18c lb.

Holstein Butterine 20c lb.

Farina 5c lb.

Purity Flour \$1.40.

Gold Medal \$1.50.

Pillsbury's Best Flour \$1.50.

Corner Stone Flour \$1.50.

Big Jo Flour \$1.60.

Maple Syrup.

Maple and Cane Syrup 25c Bottle.

Corn and Cane Syrup.

Pure Maple Sugar 20c cake.

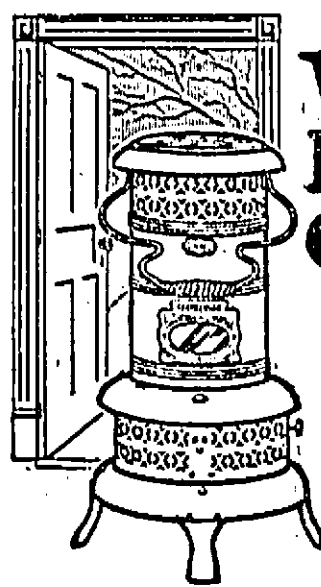
Bolled Cider 25c quart bottle.

Sauer Kraut 8c quart.

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A Happy New Year.

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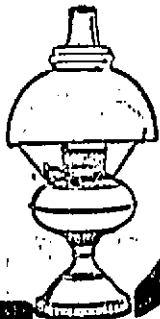
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TELLS HOW TO GIVE

John D. Rockefeller Writes on Benevolence.

BELIEVES IN CO-OPERATION

Unwise Philanthropy is Waste of Money—Roman Catholic Methods Praised—Oil King Pays Tribute to the Late Dr. Harper.

New York, Dec. 29.—John D. Rockefeller has written an article for the current issue of the World's Work, on "The Value of the Co-operative Principle in Giving," his text being comprised in the question: "If a combination to do business is effective in saving waste and getting better results, why is not a combination for more important in philanthropy work?"

Some interesting general remarks on the subject of benevolence illuminate Mr. Rockefeller's point of view. For instance he says:

"To help an inefficient, ill-located, unnecessary school is a waste, I am told by those who have given careful study to this problem that it is highly probable that enough money has been squandered on unwise educational projects to have built up a national system of higher education adequate to our need if the money had been properly directed to that end."

Catholic Methods Efficient. Of Roman Catholic methods Mr. Rockefeller said that he has "seen the organization of the Roman church so



John D. Rockefeller.

cure better results with a given sum of money than other church organizations are accustomed to secure from the same expenditure. It is unnecessary to dwell upon the centuries of experience which the church of Rome has gone through to perfect a great power of organization."

Commenting upon the great mass of appealing letters received, Mr. Rockefeller says that fourth-fifths of them are requests for money for personal use, "with no other title to consideration than that the writer would be gratified to have it."

Harper Never Asked for a Dollar. Mr. Rockefeller pays a warm tribute to the memory of the late Dr. William H. Harper, president of the University of Chicago, and makes without qualification the statement which will be surprising to many persons, "that during the entire period of his presidency of the University of Chicago he never once wrote me a letter or asked me personally for a dollar of money for



Winthrop, after drinking the stimulating beef juice and a quantity of hot water, turned over and fell asleep again while Blake was dressing his wounds. None of these was serious of itself; but Blake knew the danger of infection in the tropics, and carefully washed out the gashes before applying the tallow salve which Miss Leslie had tried out from the antelope fat.

The dressing was completed by torchlight. Blake then rolled the sleeper into a comfortable position, took the torch from Miss Leslie, and left the cave, pausing at the entrance to mutter a grunt good-night. The girl

intimated a response, but watched him anxiously as he passed out. A step beyond the entrance he paused and turned again. In the red glare of the torch, his face took on an expression that filled her with fright. Shrouded by the gloom of the hollow, she drew back to her bed, and without turning her eyes away from him, groped for one of her bamboo stakes.

But before she could arm herself, she saw Blake stoop over and grasp with his free hand the mass of interwoven bamboo. He straightened himself, and the framework swung lightly up and over, until it stood on end across the cave entrance. The girl

stole around and peered out at him. He had spread open the antelope skin, and was beginning to slice the meat for drying. Though his forehead was furrowed, his expression was by no means sinister. Relieved at the thought that the light must have deceived her, she returned to her bed and was soon sleeping as soundly as Winthrop.

Blake strung the greater part of the meat on the drying racks, built a smudge fire beneath, and stretched the antelope skin on a frame. This done, he took his club and a small piece of bloody meat, and walked stealthily down the cliff to the barricade. Quiet as was his approach, it was not by a warning yelp on the farther side of the thorny wall, and he could hear the scurrying of fleeing animals.

He kept on until the barricade loomed up before him in the starlight. From cliff to cliff the wall now stretched across the gorge without hole or gap. But Blake grasped the trunk of a young date-palm which projected from the barricade near the bottom, and pushed it out. The displacement of the spiky fronds disclosed

him. "Mr. Blake!" she exclaimed, "Mr. Winthrop is going off without a word; but I can't endure it! You have no right to send him on such an errand. It will kill him!" Blake met her indignant look with a sober stare.

"What if it does?" he said. "Better for him to die in the gallant service of his fellows, than to sit here and rot. Eh, Win?" "Do not trouble yourself, Miss Genevieve. I hope I shall pull through all right. If not—"

"No, you shall not! I'll go myself!" "See here, Miss Leslie," said Blake, somewhat sternly; "who's got the responsibility of keeping you two alive for the next month or so? I've been in the tropics before, and I know something of the way people have to live to get out again. I'm trying to do my best, and I tell you straight, if you won't mind me, I'm going to make you, no matter how much it hurts your feelings. You see how nice and meek Win takes his orders. I explained matters to him last night."

"I assure you, Blake, you shall have no cause for complaint as to my conduct," muttered Winthrop. "I should like to observe, however, that in speaking to Miss Leslie—"

"There you are, again, with your overbearing talk. Cut it out, and get busy. To-morrow we all go on a hike to the river."

As Winthrop started off, Blake turned to Miss Leslie, with a good-natured grin. "You see, it's this way, Miss Jenny," he began. He caught her look of disdain, and his face darkened. "Mad, eh? So that's the racket!"

"Mr. Blake, I will not have you talk to me in that way. Mr. Winthrop is a gentleman, but nothing more to me than a friend such as any young woman—"

"That settles it! I'll take your word for it, Miss Jenny," broke in Blake, and springing up, he set about his work, whistling.

The girl gazed at his broad back and sweet head, uncertain whether she should feel relieved or anxious. The more she thought the matter over, the more uncertain she became, and the more she wondered at her uncertainty. Could it be possible that she was becoming interested in a man who, if her ears had not deceived her—but no! That could not be possible!

Yet what a ring there was to his voice!—so clear and tonic after Winthrop's precise, modulated drawl. And her countryman's firmness! He could be rude if need be; but he would make her do, what he thought was best for her health. Was it not possible that she had misunderstood his words on the cliff, and so misjudged—wronged—him?—that Winthrop, so eager to stipulate for her hand—But then—Winthrop had more than confirmed her dreadful conclusions taken from Blake's words, and Winthrop was an English gentleman—

She ended in a state of utter bewilderment.

To be continued.

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WOULD-BE SENATORS GATHER FOR THE FRAY

Candidate for Foraker's Seat in Columbus—Chances Seem to Favor Taft or Burton.

Columbus, O., Dec. 29.—With the arrival of Senator Foraker last evening, the three leading candidates for the senatorship are here. It was stated by his friends that Senator Dick would come to-day.

The battle obtains among observers of the contest that there is no chance for a dark horse to win in the event that the Taft managers find it impossible to overcome the advantage which Burton seems to have. The arrival of former Lieut. Gov. Harding started rumors that the Taft people would go to him rather than see the prize won by Burton, but as there has been no bitterness manifested between Taft and Burton personally, it is thought that one or the other is to be the winner in the election.

State Oil Inspector Phillips, a leading Taft supporter, called upon Mr. Burton yesterday by request. As a result of their conversation it became known that the question of state patronage is to figure in the outcome. As Mr. Burton is very friendly with three senators from Cleveland, his home, through them he would be able to bring to his support the recess appointments of Gov. Harris, who are to come before the senate at its coming session for confirmation. Mr. Phillips is one of these recess appointments but is not making any effort to retain his place. The question of his attitude on the United States senatorship, therefore, will not be changed by an intimation that his confirmation may be held up in the senate. He so informed Mr. Burton.

Twenty members of the legislature were here yesterday and were in conference with the senatorial candidates.

ACCUSED OF PROFESSIONALISM. Six Prominent Athletes Suspended by A. A. U. Committee.

New York, Dec. 29.—At a meeting of the registration committee of the Amateur Athletic union last night, six prominent athletes were suspended. They are: Melvin W. Sheppard, Charles Bacon, Harry F. Porter and George V. Boning of the Irish-American Athletic club; F. G. Bellars, New York Athletic club, and J. J. Lee, formerly of the Boston Athletic association, but now unattached.

The charge against the men was professionalism, the allegations being that they accepted or asked for exorbitant expenses money.

MORSE'S CLAIMS SELF-DEFENSE. Stockbridge, Mass., Dec. 29.—E. L. Morse, a relative of William G. Morse, a son of the late Prof. H. F. B. Morse, who is under arrest in Trinidad, Lower California, charged with killing a Mexican, yesterday received a dispatch from Trinidad, saying that Morse's deed was done in self-defense.

Up-to-Date Version.

"In the matter of drinking," mused the philosopher with the impressionistic nose, "be sure you are right and you won't get a head."

Too Much Rolling. Too much wealth is being rolled in by women who are not fitted, by birth and breeding, to roll in anything of the sort.—Puck.

Count Them. The encyclopedias contain the names of very few men whose reputations were founded on their success as lady killers.

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To Be Issued Thursday, December 31st,

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It is a help to the community. Manufacturers and merchants all should be represented in this edition, because of the interest of all classes of the community, because it is intensely interesting from beginning to end, because of increased circulation.

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\$25 9x12 Axminster Rugs for.....	20.00	100 New Fall Coats at Half Price. 50 New Fall Suits at Half Price.	
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\$18 Silk Portieres for.....	12.00	50 Children's Cloaks, \$5 to \$6.50, each.....	2.75
60c Cotton Blankets for.....	.48	40 Ladies' Tourist Coats.....	3.50
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100 Pounds Black Midnight Yarn, per skein.....	.5	Ladies' Fleeced Vests and Pants.....	.20
200 Ladies' \$1.00 Union Suits, each.....	.35	All 50c Underwear.....	.40
600 Pair Ladies' Black Fleeced Hose, per pair.....	.9	All \$1.00 Underwear.....	.80
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